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Title of Invention: **Method and laser system for production of high quality laser-induced damage images by using material processing made before and during image creation**

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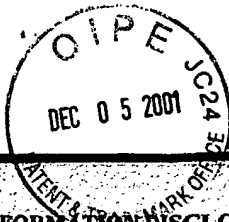
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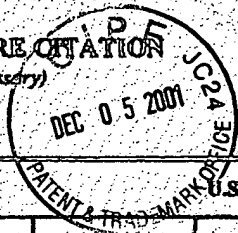
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